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In re Application of	:	Attn: Mail Stop AF
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Toshiaki MASUDA et al.	:	Patent Art Unit: 1796
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Serial No. 10/595,910	:	Examiner: Jeffrey S. Lenihan
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Filed: May 18, 2006	:	Confirmation No. 8921
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For: Thermally Expanded Microsphere, Process	:	<i>Amendment After</i>
for Producing the Same, Thermally	:	<i>Final Rejection</i>
Expandable Microsphere and Use Thereof	:	

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the May 6, 2010 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page two (2) of this paper. Claims 1-31 and 38-39 are pending, with claims 1, 3, 11 and 21 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page twelve (12) of this paper.